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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 17, 2007, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, Applicant submits the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111. The present response is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Claims 1-24 remain pending in the application. Claims 1, 19 and 22 have been amended. No claims have been added or canceled. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 6.